As changed

Amendments from Mental Health: 217, 596, 670, 741, 817, 901, 1025, 1026, 1131, 1303, 1306, 1357, 1425, 1471, 1472.

Mr. DeLeo of Winthrop and others move to amend H. 4700 in section 2 by striking item 5042-5000, and inserting in place thereof the following item:-

5042-5000

For child and adolescent services, including the costs of psychiatric and related services provided to children and adolescents determined to be medically ready for discharge from acute hospital units or mental health facilities and who are experiencing unnecessary delays in being discharged due to the lack of more appropriate settings; provided, that for the purpose of funding those services, the commissioner of mental health may allocate funds from the amount appropriated in this item to other departments within the executive office of health and human services; provided further, that the department shall submit a report to the house and senate committees on ways and means not later than January 15, 2009 on the results of the collaboration between the department and the other departments within the executive office of health and human services; provided further, that the report shall detail the current status of the implementation of clinically appropriate service models for that population of children and adolescents, and remaining disparities in the service system which require children and adolescents to be served in unnecessarily restrictive or otherwise clinically inappropriate settings and changes during fiscal years 2007 and 2008 in the clinical acuity of children and adolescents; provided further, that the department shall submit to the house and senate committees on ways and means not later than November 17, 2008 a report detailing the implementation of the settlement agreement, dated August 29, 2006, and entered into by the parties of Rosie D. et al V. Romney. civil action No. 01-30199-MAP, filed in the United States District Court in order to provide community based services to children suffering from severe emotional disturbances, that shall include a schedule detailing the commencement of services and cost to implement the settlement by service type; provided further, that said report shall detail the impact on the number of residential placements provided for in item 5095-0015; provided further, that not less than \$1,800,000 shall be expended from this item in fiscal year 2009 to ensure that a licensed practitioner or a licensed nurse administers medication to children and adolescents whose mental health services are delivered by public or private providers of those services; and provided further, that not less than \$2,500,000 shall be expended for the child

And move to further amend the bill in section 2 by striking item 5046-0000, and inserting in place thereof the following item:-

5046-0000

For adult mental health and support services; provided, that the department shall allocate funds in an amount not to exceed \$5,000,000 from item 5095-0015, to this item, as necessary, pursuant to allocation plans submitted to the house and senate committees on ways and means 30 days prior to any such transfer, for residential and day services for clients formerly receiving care at department facilities; provided further, that the department shall report to the house and senate committees on ways and means on the distribution of funds per adult and child planning population and the types of services received in each region for fiscal year 2009 not later than February 1, 2009; provided further, that not less than \$50,000 shall be expended to continue and expand the triage counseling services in the Needham public schools; provided further, that not less than \$3,314,796 shall be expended on the expansion of housing for the homeless mentally ill; provided further that not less than \$75,000 shall be expended on expansion of employment support services at the Fairwinds Clubhouse in Falmouth; provided further, that \$200,000 shall be expended for jail diversion programs; provided further, that not less than \$300,000 shall be expended for a pre-arrest jail diversion grant program at the Department of Mental Health for five (5) programs; and provided further, that not less than \$50,000 shall be expended for culturally and linguistically appropriate mental health services for immigrants at the International Institute of Boston.....\$321,261,970

And move to further amend the bill in section 2 by striking item 5046-2000 and inserting in place thereof the following item:-

5046-2000

For homelessness services; provided, that not less than \$50,000 shall be expended for homelessness services at the Salem Mission \$22,523,865

And move to further amend the bill in section 2 by striking item 5055-0000 and inserting in place thereof the following item:-

5055-0000

For forensic services provided by the department; provided, that no less than \$1,186,000 shall be expended to sustain and expand services provided

Comment: Changed per direction of Ways and Means committee, prior to adoption

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